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VIA ONLINE SUBMISSION

National FOIA Office
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (2310A)
Washington, DC 20460

**Re: FOIA REQUEST in reference to Proposed Method of Air Sampling
Program for Denka Performance Elastomers, LLC at the
Pontchartrain Works Facility in LaPlace, Louisiana**

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), I am requesting an opportunity to inspect or obtain copies of the items listed below. This request is limited in scope from January 1, 2020 to Present.

- Any and all documents listing the method references for the proposed upcoming air sampling and testing campaign at Denka Performance Elastomers at the Pontchartrain Works Facility in LaPlace, Louisiana, including, but not limited to, the United States Environmental Protection Agency's ("EPA") / other accepted method number for each component of the air sampling program, as well as the EPA's / other accepted method number for each proposed analysis. Please include the method name and description, as well as the EPA / other agency online reference link if known.
- A complete .pdf version of the sampling or analytical method, if available in lieu of an online link. If an online link is all that is available, that will suffice.
- Any and all documents fully outlining any alterations made to a sampling or analytical method.
- Any and all documents and lists showing the required method detection limits, as well as any required quantitation and /or reporting limits.

Please advise when we should expect to receive production of these records, the method of production and any fees associated with the production. Do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or concerns. If you deny any or all of this request, please cite each specific exemption you feel justifies the refusal to release the information and notify us of the appeal procedures available.



Thank you for considering our request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Brian J. Mersman', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Brian J. Mersman, Esq.

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